

Hongkong Telegraph



WEDNESDAY, MAY 23, 1894.

THIRTY DOLLARS
PER ANNUM.

3757.

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £2,000,000
CAPITAL PAID-UP £251,093.15.0

BANKERS:

CAPITAL & COUNTRIES BANK, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 3, PRINCE'S STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES:
BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI.

AGENCIES:
PENANG, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA.

RATES OF INTEREST.

ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS

AND FIXED DEPOSITS CAN BE ASCERTAINED

ON APPLICATION.

Every description of Banking and Exchange

business transacted.

CHARTREY INCHBALD,
Manager.

Hongkong, 6th November, 1893. [210]

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL £1,500,000
SUBSCRIBED £1,185,000

BANKERS:

LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT

ACCOUNTS AT THE RATE OF 2 PER CENT.

PER ANNUM ON THE DAILY BALANCE.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—

For 12 Months, 5 per cent.

" 6 " 4 " "

" 3 " 3 " "

JOHN THURBURN,
Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 4th February, 1893. [20]

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1853.

HEAD OFFICE:—LONDON.

CAPITAL PAID-UP £800,000

RESERVE FUND £800,000

HOLDERS' SHARES £275,000

RESERVE FUND £275,000

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT

ACCOUNTS AT THE RATE OF 2 PER CENT.

PER ANNUM ON THE DAILY BALANCE.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS FOR 12 MONTHS, 5 PER CENT.

" 6 " 4 " "

" 3 " 3 " "

A. C. MARSHALL,
Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 17th May, 1894. [503]

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL £1,000,000

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £500,000

HEAD OFFICE:—HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:—

Chow Tung Shing, Esq., Chairman.

Chan Kit Shan, Esq., Vice-Chairman.

H. Stollenhoff, Esq., Secretary.

Chief Manager, GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Branches:—London, Yokohama, Shanghai and Amoy.

BANKERS:—

The Commercial Bank of Scotland.

Parry Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ld.).

Interest on 12 months Fixed, 5 per cent.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1893. [17]

Auctions.

FOR SALE,

THE KUDAT SUGAR ESTATE.

THE Resident, acting under instructions from

the executors of the late

DR. CHAPMAN,

will, on the 1st July next,

Sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION,

at the

COURT HOUSE, KUDAT,

the whole of the Property

known as

DR. CHAPMAN'S SUGAR ESTATE,

(situated within 3 miles of Kudat), together with

all House, Coolies, and Machinery on the

Land at the time of Sale, Cattle Crops and heavy

crop of Cane now standing.

The Property consists of 44 acres 3 rods (of

which 20 acres are planted) and is intersected by

the main road from Kudat.

This being a GOING CONCERN and only

placed in the Market owing to the death of the

late Owner, is well worth the consideration of

Sugar Planters.

Kudat, 5th May, 1894. [610]

TO BE SOLD

BY

PUBLIC AUCTION,

THE VICTORIA COFFEE ESTATE.

The Property of the late

P. CHRISTIAN, Esq.

THIS Estate, which is situated within 3 miles

of the Port of Kudat, British North

Borneo, comprises in all 300 acres of the finest

Coffee Land, 100 acres being cleared and having

INSURANCES.

THE

STANDARD.

ENDOWMENT

ASSURANCE.

1. AMONG THE MANY ADVANTAGES

of this form of Assurance, the

following may be mentioned:—

(a)—It secures an immediate Provision

for wife and family or other relatives

in event of early death.

(b)—It provides a Fund for Retirement.

(c)—It supplies an excellent Investment

for the regular accumulation of

small fixed sums of money.

(d)—The Surrender and loan values are

larger than under ordinary Policies.

2. AFTER THE POLICY HAS BEEN

THREE YEARS IN FORCE—

should the Policy-holder wish to dis-

continue future payments—he will

be entitled to receive, on application,

a FREE PAID-UP POLICY for a

proportionate amount of the Sum

Assured, as explained in the Pros-

pectus.

Full particulars on application,

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Agents,

STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

Hongkong, 8th August, 1891. [747]

THE TOKYO MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE:—TOKYO, JAPAN.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED £1,200,000

CAPITAL PAID-UP £600,000

GOVERNMENT GUARANTEE £400,000

RESERVE FUND, 30th June, 1893, £48,551

SPECIAL RESERVE, Do, £134,997

TOTAL RESERVE £623,548

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above

Company, are prepared to accept RISKS

at CURRENT RATES.

For the MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA,

K. FUKUI,

Manager.

Hongkong, 19th April, 1894. [485]

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED £1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept

MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS,

&c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world

payable at any of its Agencies.

HEAD OFFICE,

No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.

Hongkong, 24th November, 1893. [180]

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000

EQUAL TO £833,333.33

RESERVE FUND £318,000.00

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

LEE SING, Esq. LO YUK MOON, Esq.

LOU TSO SHUN, Esq.

MANAGER.—HO AMEL.

MARINE RISKS ON GOODS, &c., taken

at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the

World.

Intimations.

WANTED.

PHOTOGRAPHIC CAMERA, 5 by 4 or 4

Plate, in good condition. Apply by letter

giving particulars and price to

"CAMERA,"

c/o Carmichael & Co., Praya.

Hongkong, 22nd May, 1894. [509]

NOTICE.

"THE GAP BUFFET" at the TRAMWAY

UPPER TERMINUS will OPEN on

MONDAY next, the 1st instant.

KATHERINE JUNGBLUTH.

Hongkong, 12th May, 1894. [376]

G. FALCONER & CO.,

WATCH AND CHRONOMETER MANU-

FACTURERS AND JEWELLERS.

NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS,

CHARTS AND BOOKS.

No. 42, Queen's Road Central. [693]

CHS. J. GAUPP & CO.,

CHRONOMETER, WATCH, AND CLOCK-

MAKERS, JEWELLERS, SILVER-

Intimations.

THE

HONGKONG HOTEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin"—A. B. C. Code.—TELEPHONE, No. 32.

PROPRIETORS.....THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East,

affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre of

the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf

(the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping

Offices.

THE HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers.

THE TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the cuisine being

under experienced supervision.

THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lofty and well ventilated, open on to

spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communications.

The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladies' Drawing Rooms, the new Bar and public

BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience.

The WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expert and the BEST BRANDS only are supplied.

HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers

and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above.

NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

R. TUCKER,
Manager.

Hongkong, 17th November, 1892. [229]

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

POPULAR TOBACCOS.

TRAVELLER BRAND, in 1/4 lb. Tins.	OGDEN'S SILVER VEIL, in 1/4 lb. Tins.
PIONEER "do."	COPE'S BIRD'S EYE "do."
THREE CASTLES, in 1/4 & 1/2 lb. Tins.	COPE'S MUTUAL FRIEND "do."
BIRD'S EYE "do."	COPE'S PRAIRIE FLOWER "do."
CAPSTAN BRAND "do."	COPE'S BLEND "do."
OGDEN'S VIRGINIA, in 1/4 lb. Tins.	MOOSE HEAD TOBACCO, in 1/4 lb. Tins.
OGDEN'S NAVY CUT "do."	ST. LEGER SCROLL CUT TWIST "do."
OGDEN'S BIRD'S EYE "do."	

IN HERMETICALLY SEALED TINS.
PERFECTLY FRESH.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

Hongkong, 15th May, 1894. [6]

W. BREWER.

JUST RECEIVED.

LOYD'S MODERN ARTILLERY.

Tanner's Index of Diseases.

Stanley Gibbons's Stamp Albums.

Don's Stamp Albums.

Gibbons's Stamp Catalogues.

New Stock Chrysothrips for Window Decor-

ation.

Will's Capstan Tobacco.

Marion's Photographic Dry Plates.

New Photo Frames.

Cash Boxes—Tennis Goods.

French Books—Despatch Boxes.

New Fine Art Goods.

The Popular Game "Halm."

W. BREWER,
UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL.

Hongkong, 4th May, 1894. [40]

CENTRAL HOTEL,

SHANGHAI.

Electric Lighting

throughout

the Premises.

Telegraphic Address—

"CENTRAL,"

SHANGHAI.

THIS long-established SELECT Family Hotel, situated on the Bund, facing the river in the

centre of the Settlements, is now fitted with the latest modern improvements, including Bath

and Dressing Rooms ATTACHED to Suites and Single Rooms, with hot and cold water laid

on, DOUCHE, SHOWER, SPRAYS, etc., and heated to a comfortable temperature during winter.

COMMODOUS RECEPTION ROOM FOR VISITORS.

SEPARATE ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNER PARTIES, &c.

An Assistant attends on Passengers by Mail Steamers.

N.B.—Special reduced charges may be arranged for on application to the Manager.

F. E. REILLY,
PROPRIETOR.

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DAWSON'S PERFECTION

OLD SCOTCH WHISKY.

ALLISTON & CO., SOLE AGENTS, Hongkong and the Far East,

68, Queen's Road Central.

ongkong, 11th December, 1893. [41]

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

ICE CREAM FREEZERS, ICE CHIPPERS AND CHISELS,

ICE CHESTS.

ICE-WATER PITCHERS, ICE BOWLS, BUTTER COOLERS.

FILTERS.

LEMON SQUEEZERS, LEMON JUICE EXTRACTORS.

WIND-PROOF LAMPS, VERANDAH LAMPS, FUNKAH LAMPS.

LANE CRAWFORD & CO.

Hongkong, 2nd May, 1894.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS are reminded that the

FOURTH INSTALLMENT OF CALL,

amounting to FIVE SHILLINGS per SHARE on

the ORDINARY SHARES of the BANK is

DUE on the 1st June, 1894, and is PAYABLE

at the OFFICE of the BANK, No. 4, QUEEN'S

ROAD, either by demand Draft on London or in

Local Currency equivalent.

CHARTREY INCHBALD,
Manager.

Hongkong, 22nd May, 1894. [612]

BANK HOLIDAY.

IN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875

the Undermentioned BANKS will be

CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business

on FRIDAY, 25th instant, the day appointed in

Berlin, April 27th.
The *Berliner Nachrichten* says: *Emperor*
Wilhelm has informed the officials of the Foreign
Office that Germany's interests in the Samoan
islands will not be abandoned under any
circumstances.

RIO DE JA NEIRO April 27th.
A decree issued by President Peixoto orders
the payment of customs duties on a grid.

ATWENTON April 27th.
At 9 o'clock to-night another severe earth-
quake shook was felt throughout the country,
including the Islands of Syria and Sicily and
immense damage has been done. A small
part of the walls of the prison fell down, and many of
the unfortunates present were made much worse.
There is little doubt but that this quake has been
the great loss of life.

DANVER, April 27th.
Miss Jennie Z. S. Strong, a student of
Miss West's school, died and members of

St. John's Cathedral by Dean West to the
Cavaliere, professor of languages in the
radical university at Florence. After a tour
of the East, where his Superstition-busters
the people will make him famous in America.

THE EMPEROR AS AN EXAMINER.

The daily correspondence to P. King of the N.
C. *Daily News* contains the following account of
the recent forced examination of the students of
the Hanlin Academy and Superintendent of
Instruction of the Hainan Academy, which has
greatly astonished at the West, where it has
been accounted to the Emperor in person, and
he there sent in and him all before the palace
excellence of the competitors. The *Free Press*
Academy, of course, is well known to the

not so well known. The members of this department or court are naturally men of high literary attainments, but are for the most part not three Emperors, *Shen Feng T'ung Ch'ia*, and the present Emperor, *Ch'ien Lung*, are the only ones to reason that an appointment should be made on nothing but *merit* and *learning*. The others are considered simply as an acknowledgment of literary merit with no actual desire to extend it. In previous years, when such examinations of the time did not take place, the Emperor, at Court audiences, which were held at intervals of some time to attend personally to the former, thus leaving too much power in the hands of the Ministers, who naturally gave the palm of excellence to their favourites or relations. At the present examinations many of the competitors are aware of the Emperor's aversion and approval which permeates high quality, and are anxious to brush up their memories, so as to stand out

"Hence their great surprise, as well as the utter astonishment of the examining Board of high Ministers of State who had examined the theses of the competitors and marked out their standing of each man according to their own peculiar bias, when the Emperor signified his intention to look over each essay and place the competitors on a list according to their merits. There were 208 competitors and it took the Emperor three whole days to look over the essays. The task was long, but it was accomplished with care and attention to details. The End of the Examining Board was turned almost upside down, for the Emperor marked out six men as entitled to first honours (five of these stood admitted to the last to the first five; seventy were

Amongst the competitors was T'ai' Kuo-yin, the lately retired Minister to the United States, of Spain and Peru. He had a brevet horizon of the second rank and, owing to his post of Senior Deputy Supervisor of Instruction to the Hsin'chu (fifth rank, Class A) he had, of course, present himself at the examination hall as a competitor, notwithstanding his years and previous services abroad. In the list of the candidates for the first rank, T'ai' Kuo-yin stood amongst the first. He was recommended to a lighter post and honor in the list of the candidates for the second rank. In the list of the candidates for the third rank, he stood amongst the fifth in the third class, and in the decree classifying the candidates, in which the Emperer made it a point to state clearly that he had done so after personally looking over every name--T'ai' Kuo-yin was

ordered to "take off his breast sword rank-
"ing badge" from the post of Deputy
"inspector." Those who belonged to the
first and second classes were promoted two
steps, while the others were either demoted
proportionately or deprived of from one to half-
year's salary.

FOOCHOW NOTES.

FOOCHOW May 19th, 1920

Huang-mi-ke, a graduate of the late Hany
examinations, has been appointed a university

On Wednesday next.

Reports from the country state that over one million of new season's tea from the Ming-shing, Kailash, and the Yü-shan districts, have been sent down to this market, and that the news of opening prices is anxiously awaited.

During the thunder-storm on Sunday of enormous size a large fire broke between the Rungueat Court and the Ming-shing Lodge was struck by lightning and the village of the following afternoon the main street of the village, where all the houses of the village, was similarly struck, much to the horror of the terrified crew.

Another case of suicide from the Long Bridge was committed on Wednesday last. A poorly dressed man was seen to jump into the river, and was drowned. The bridge, which is a long and narrow structure, is a very dangerous place, with a strong running tide below, and a very special temptation to those of this kind of trouble. We have not heard that there is a watch kept to prevent the too frequent advantage taken of it.

Francis William White, of the Imperial Maritime Customs, which occurred on the 19th inst. The funeral service at the cemetery was partly religious, and an address was tendered by the Rev. Dr. Underwood, the pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church.

It was the intention of the tea-men to show quarters representing about 10,000 half-chests of the new season's crop this morning, but owing to the heavy rain the delivery of them has been postponed. It is reported that about 500,000 half-chests have arrived, ten from each of the districts being represented in the quantity, excepting that from Soongee and Cheongchick. It is further stated that there will be sent to the Foreign Office about this afternoon.

The floods having washed away a large quantity of paddy growing between two villages near the Mia-pai Pan, a general scene between the different villages, resulting in a fight in which several men on both sides are reported to have been killed. The reason for the war is not clear, but the fighting was so serious that the authorities have sent a company of soldiers to the spot where it could be put down. According to the different accounts no accident has yet come to the tea and the troops had not been withdrawn.

A large of Chinese bank notes, who had been, according to the much which, had taken in a

street of the city. A prisoner took advantage of his condition to rob him, and walked off with a bundle of notes. Using some of them shortly afterwards to make some purchases, they were discovered by the shopkeeper to be forged. The man was caught, badly-beaten and threatened with being handed over to the authorities as a forger, and he only escaped by the people believing his story as to how he became possessed of them.

The bones of Kuanan Monastery have brought an action against certain natives in the vicinity of their property, for having opened a grave and taken a dead body to bury, without their permission. The defence of the villagers is that the ground belongs to them, and they are most indignant that the Monastery should claim it. The case is not yet settled, but it has created much ill-feeling against the priests, who for the time being it prudent not to venture beyond the limits of their own domain.

A fire broke out in a house over the Long Bridge, in a street called Po-sing-ling, on Wednesday morning last, the flames spreading so rapidly that over a hundred houses were destroyed before they could be got under. The cause of the disaster is unknown. The property being chiefly small shops and dwelling houses, the loss was not in the aggregate very heavy, although of course of moment to the individual occupants, so many being rendered homeless. Fortunately no lives were lost.

Last month we reported that a stop had been put upon the issue of 10, 20 and 30 cents notes by the Tai-tung bank. Since then we hear that the pawn-shop proprietors have petitioned the Victoria to have more copper cash coined, as there is clearly insufficient in circulation. In his reply his Excellency states that the report furnished him does not agree with the assertion of the petitioners as to there being a scarcity of these coins, that the coining of copper cash is somewhat expensive, and that he cannot order the minting of more until he finds that it is absolutely necessary. At the same time his Excellency ordered the magistrates to redouble their vigilance to prevent the coining of spurious cash, and the magistrate and sub-magistrate have issued further notices ordering that none but genuine copper cash is to be considered legal tender. Any person attempting to pass spurious cash will be severely punished.—*Echo*.

Today's Advertisements.



THE PLAGUE.

THE PERMANENT COMMITTEE of the SANITARY BOARD APPEAL to all HOUSEHOLDERS in the COLONY, but more especially to the EUROPEAN, AMERICAN, and other NON-CHINESE RESIDENTS to give prompt attention to the state of their KITCHENS, COOK-HOUSES, SERVANTS' QUARTERS, and OUT-OF-DOORS GENERAL RALLY, to have them thoroughly CLEANSED and WHITEWASHED without delay, and then to make a DAILY VISIT and INSPECTION. If these precautions are regularly observed, with the use of DISINFECTANTS in the DRAINS, there is absolutely NO DANGER of the PLAGUE establishing itself in the European quarters of the City. There may be isolated cases among the Chinese Servants and Coolies who have become infected elsewhere, but no dangerous consequences can follow. It is not possible for the Sanitary Staff, largely reinforced though it has been from the Army, Navy and Police, to undertake the work of Cleaning and Disinfecting outside the Chinese quarters of the City, but on notice to Mr. RAM, Acting Sanitary Superintendent, at the Board's Office, arrangements will be made for the prompt removal of all accumulations of Rubbish and Filth.

The Committee urge upon ALL HOUSEHOLDERS the importance and necessity of their AT ONCE acting on this advice.

For the Permanent Committee
Sanitary Board,
JNO. J. FRANCIS.

Bank Buildings,
Hongkong, 23rd May, 1894. [619]

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

INFORMATION has been received from the Military Authorities that ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place from STONE-CUTTERS' ISLAND, on TUESDAY, the 29th instant, between the hours of 9 A.M. and NOON. The Line of Fire will be in Westerly and South-westerly directions.

All Ships, Junks, and other Vessels are cautioned to keep clear of the ranges.

By Command,
J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Hongkong, 19th May, 1894. [616]

AUCTION SALE OF MISCELLANEOUS PROPERTY, POSTAGE STAMPS, &c.

AT
SALE ROOMS, 17, PRAYA CENTRAL,
ON
SATURDAY next, May 26th, 1894,
AT 2.30 P.M.,
Comprising—
3,000 POSTAGE STAMPS, POST CARDS,
AND A LARGE QUANTITY OF
MISCELLANEOUS PROPERTY.

See Express.

A. E. SKEELS & Co.,
Auctioneers, &c.

Hongkong, 23rd May, 1894. [617]

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
STEAMSHIP "MOGUL,"
FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA
AND KOBE.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents,
Hongkong, 23rd May, 1894. [614]

Intimations.

DAIRY PRODUCE!

THE HONGKONG DAIRY

(ESTABLISHED 1871.)
GARDEN ROAD, AND CAUSEWAY BAY.

FRESH MILK.

FRESH BUTTER.

CREAM.

CREAM CHEESE AND

NEW LAID EGGS.

ALWAYS ON HAND FOR CASH, OR TO ORDER.
MILK FROM ONE COW FOR BABIES, BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.
NONE BUT THE FRESHEST AND BEST SUPPLIED.

ADDRESS:—

J. KENNEDY,

PROPRIETOR,

GARDEN ROAD.

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Today's Advertisements.

ST. ANDREW'S CHAPTER.

HONGKONG, No. 218, S.C.

A REGULAR CONVOCATION of the above CHAPTER will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, the 23rd instant, at 8 for 8.30 o'clock precisely. Visiting Companions are cordially invited.

Hongkong, 23rd May, 1894. [606]

ZETLAND LODGE.

No. 525.

A N.E.M.E.R.G.E.N.C.Y. MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, TO-MORROW, the 24th instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.

Hongkong, 23rd May, 1894. [618]

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

SATURDAY, MAY 26TH, 1894,

COMPETITION. SHORT RANGE CUP
AND SPOONS; Ranges 100 and 500 yards;
Seven Shots at each distance. Entrance fee,
30 cents.

ARTHUR CHAPMAN,
Honorary Secretary,
Hongkong, 23rd May, 1894. [645]

FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO AND BOMBAY.

THE Company's Steamship

"HIROSHIMA MARU,"
Capt. C. A. Anderson, will be despatched as
above on FRIDAY, the 25th instant, at 4 P.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, 23rd May, 1894. [603]

Amusements.

THEATRE ROYAL.

MRS. POTTER

AND

MR. BELLEW

Begin to announce that they will be able to give

TWO MORE PERFORMANCES:—

TO-MORROW

(THURSDAY), May 24th.

"THE LADY OF LYONS."

SATURDAY, May 26th.

"SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL"

Box Plan at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, Ltd.

PRICES AS USUAL.

Commencing at 9 o'clock.

Late Trans after Each Performance.

T. V. TWINNING, Manager.

Hongkong, 22nd May, 1894. [604]

THE HARMSTONS' GREAT SPECIALTY COMPANY.

THE famous HARMSTONS' CIRCUS will

for the present postpone the GREAT

CIRCUS REVIVAL until a later period, and

on the arrival of the Steamer conveying the

Company to Shanghai, will give

TWO SPECIAL PERFORMANCES

IN THE

CITY HALL.

Introducing the grandest Vaudeville Entertain-

ment ever given in Hongkong.

ALL GREAT ARTISTES.

Mlle. LE BLONDE,

La Premiere Danseuse at La Scala, Milan,

Clique Nouvelle, Paris, and Sir Augustus Harris'

Pantomime of 1884 at Drury Lane. The most

graceful Dancer and Rider in the World.

THE FAMOUS ACKERLYS.

None to equal them as Acrobats and Gymnasts.

GEORGE, THE STEWARTS, JOHNNIE,

Grotesque Musical Comedy, the Artists

Wonders of Europe.

Mlle. OUDINA,

The accomplished tragedienne, youth and beauty,

combined with grace and daring, have earned

her fame. First appearance in the East.

MISS MAUD LISLE,

The versatile Dancer and Vocalist.

WHIMSICAL TOMMY,

Musical Clown and Jester.

THE ROMAN BROTHERS,

Woodward, Eldred, and Johnnie,

Accomplished Gymnasts.

PEPINO AND DUMMY,

The Kings of Laughter.

HARMSTONS' GRAND ORCHESTRA

and Miss NELLIE BAILEY, Miss BLANCHE,

Miss NAVARRO, Miss L. BOVIS.

THE TOMI KITCHI TROUPE.

LEO HERNANDEZ, C. BRUCE, F. DUPRE,

P. KLANTO.

and the People's Favorite,

MR. ROBERT LOVE,

In his Budget of Songs.

THE DALE BROTHERS,

American Mimics.

Box Plan at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, Ltd.

R. LOVE

CHAS. B. HICKS, General Representative.

S. REICH

Hongkong, 21st May, 1894. [605]

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VICTORIA PRECEPTORY.

A REGULAR MEETING of the VICTORIA PRECEPTORY will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Knights are cordially invited to attend.

Hongkong, 22nd May, 1894. [611]

Hotels.

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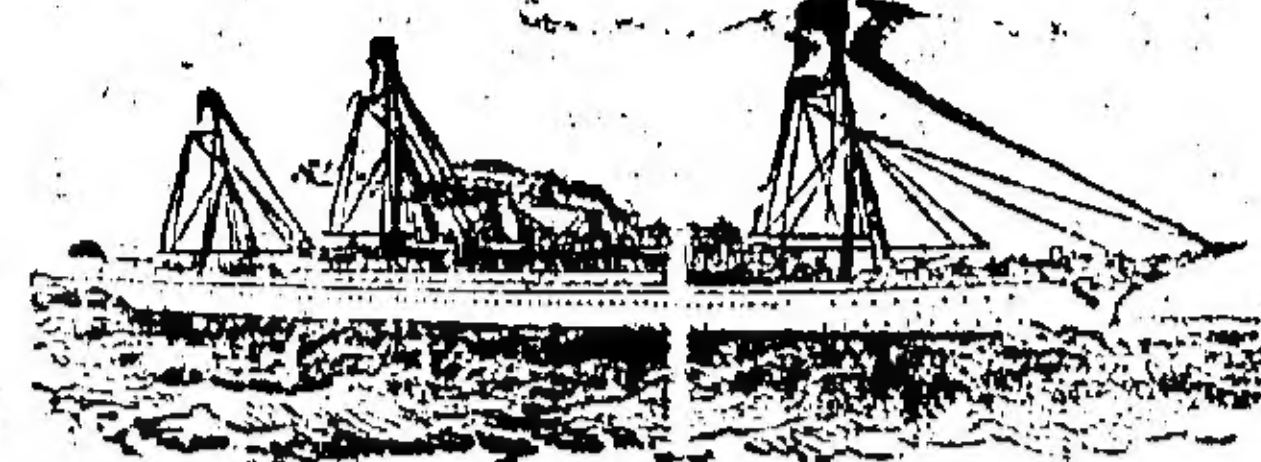
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